
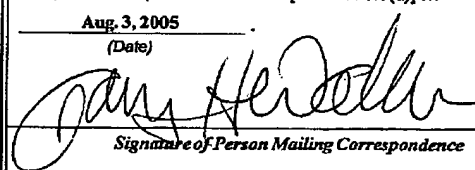
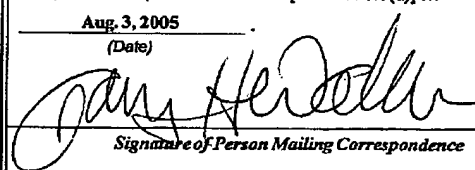
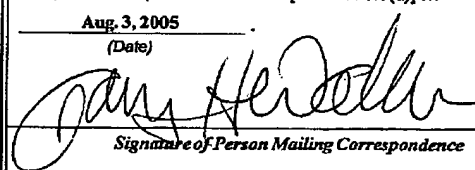


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Mitsuhiro HAMASHIMA Art Unit: 2626  
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the office action dated November 29, 2004,  
reconsideration is requested:

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